## Municipal Fiber: The Value to a Healthcare System

Intelligent Community Forum

October 21, 2015

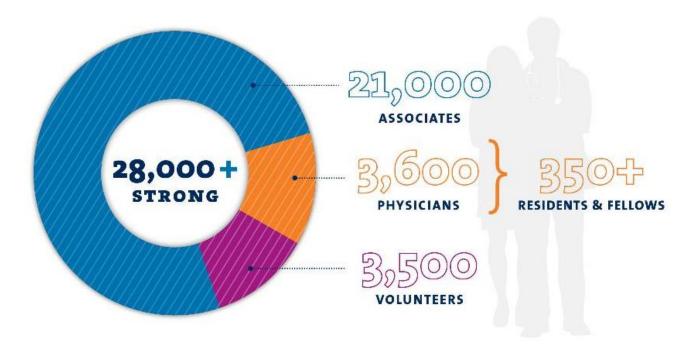
Jim Lowder

System Vice President, Technology OhioHealth



### **OhioHealth Overview**

**WE** are a faith-based, not-for-profit healthcare system.



OUTPATIENT VISITS 496,805 ED VISITS **OBSERVATIONS** 103,012 SURGERIES 600+ CLINICAL TRIALS

Represents Fiscal Year 2015 Data

### **OhioHealth Overview**

# care site locations

#### hospital

- OHIOHEALTH RIVERSIDE METHODIST
- OHIOHEALTH GRANT MEDICAL CENTER
- 6 OHIOHEALTH DOCTORS HOSPITAL
- O OHIOHEALTH GRADY MEMORIAL
- OHIOHEALTH DUBLIN METHODIST
- OHIOHEALTH HARDIN MEMORIAL
- OHIOHEALTH MARION GENERAL
- OHIOHEALTH REHABILITATION HOSPITAL
- OHIOHEALTH O'BLENESS HOSPITAL
- OHIOHEALTH MEDCENTRAL
  MANSFIELD HOSPITAL
- OHIOHEALTH MEDCENTRAL SHELBY HOSPITAL

#### managed

1 MORROW COUNTY HOSPITAL

#### affiliate

- 1 SOUTHERN OHIO MEDICAL CENTER
- BERGER HEALTH SYSTEM
- 3 BLANCHARD VALLEY MEDICAL CENTER





Represents Fiscal Year 2016 Data

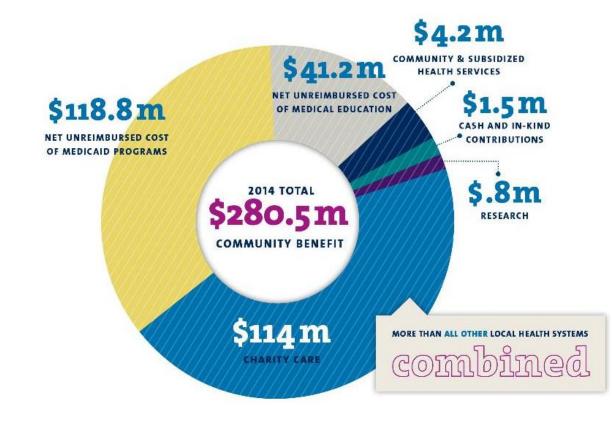
### **OhioHealth Overview**



#### Our Community Benefit is OhioHealth's mission in action

— part of our work to help those less fortunate and to improve the health and wellness of the communities we serve.

These community benefit data do not reflect the addition of OhioHealth O'Bleness Hospital, OhioHealth Mansfield Hospital and OhioHealth Shelby Hospital.



Represents 2014 Data

## **OhioHealth Recognition**



Represents Fiscal Year 2015 Data

## **Background**

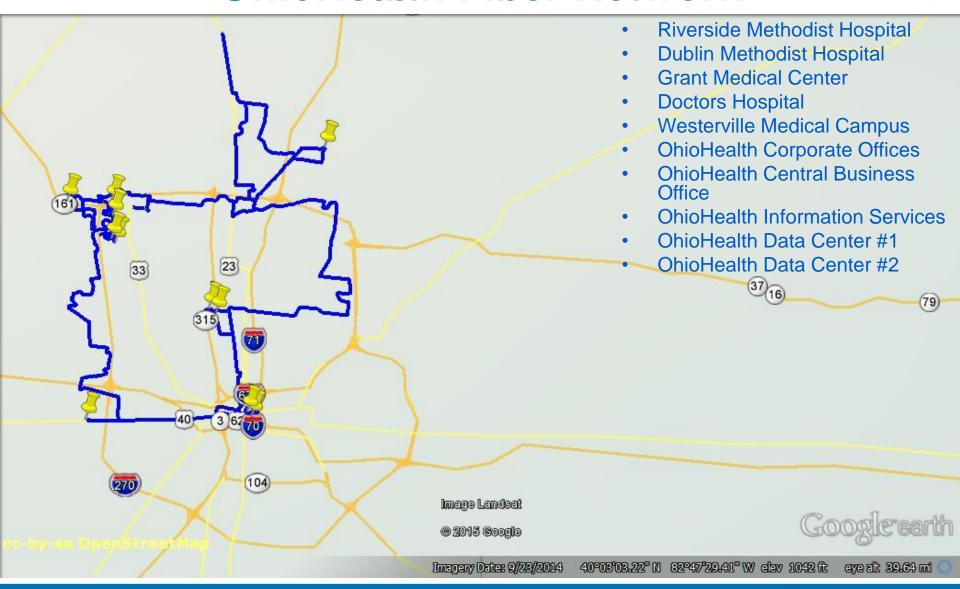
- DubLINK fiber network
- OhioHealth obtained fiber rights through the City of Dublin
- > Initial agreement 2005



### **OhioHealth Fiber Network**

- Implemented in 2006
  - Network electronics
  - Lateral fiber to connect to the ring
- Fiber optic network running throughout Dublin and parts of Columbus
- High speed 10Gb
  - Upgradeable as needed
- Redundant (no single point of failure)
- Connects our major facilities in the metropolitan area

### **OhioHealth Fiber Network**



### **How We Use the Fiber**

- Connects major facilities with voice, data and video network
- Data backup and synchronization across data centers
- Supports a fully redundant EMR platform
- Critical IT systems run from either data center with no difference in performance
- Telemedicine initiatives

### **OhioHealth eICU**

- Monitors 196 critical care beds
- Leverages intensivists and experienced critical care nurses
- Decreases patient complication rates
- Keeps more patients local
- Coordinates transfer and continuity of care for critical care patients





## The Value of Municipal Fiber

- Shared infrastructure
- Enables strategic IT initiatives
- Provides consistent, reliable connectivity and performance across sites
- More cost-effective than traditional telecom circuits – especially at 10Gb
- 10 year cost savings \$MM

# BELIEVE IN WE™ 計集 OhioHealth

#### A FAITH-BASED, NOT-FOR-PROFIT HEALTHCARE SYSTEM

RIVERSIDE METHODIST HOSPITAL + GRANT MEDICAL CENTER + DOCTORS HOSPITAL

GRADY MEMORIAL HOSPITAL + DUBLIN METHODIST HOSPITAL + DOCTORS HOSPITAL—NELSONVILLE

HARDIN MEMORIAL HOSPITAL + MARION GENERAL HOSPITAL + REHABILITATION HOSPITAL + O'BLENESS HOSPITAL

MEDCENTRAL MANSFIELD HOSPITAL + MEDCENTRAL SHELBY HOSPITAL + WESTERVILLE MEDICAL CAMPUS

HEALTH AND SURGERY CENTERS + PRIMARY AND SPECIALTY CARE + URGENT CARE + WELLNESS

HOSPICE + HOME CARE + 28,000 PHYSICIANS, ASSOCIATES & VOLUNTEERS